to them but put on war rig. When he was ready, he gave hell to the others for having agreed to kill all & then backing out. He killed Bella Bella man & then withdrew to outskirts. Then they started to kill off Bella Bellas, one of whom got into boat with mast & swept path around him, killing man. In confusion a Bella Bella man climbed on board & got ashore. When finished, (Kwakiutl) yelled out, "I am going back. We have broken law really to help Bella Coola. Mr. Pillar" backed off, followed by others. The Bella Bella finally got back to Bella Bella. Only time that law was broken. On account of death of messenger the (Klein) was never held, & owner of house died.

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~~If born~~ As a rule husband or wife is ditched without ceremony
At time of marriage, ♂ gives presents to ♀'s family & later receives
e.g. I want to marry Louisa, my father goes to F of Louisa, says I
will give $300. At marriage the $300 is ekkoled to whatever the rela-
tives of the ♀ may have, & relatives give (klim). All her relatives chip
in. Presents are given to all Bella Coola villages, nobody outside called
in, & ♂'s husband's family gets no share. H's family gives no
returns present. If ~~either wants to part~~ decided to separate, ~~he~~ he or she does so
without ceremony. Sometimes w decides to give (klim)
in order to get good name. Small children stay with M, older or
later decide whether to stay with M or F. Child staying with M has
equal chance of getting F's stories he is F & doesn't care when they
stop. Joshua never knows of case where F was absent & w had
child but in case where he knows child is ~~son~~ child of someone else
~~he~~ husband accepts it as own. W offered to Mackenzie was
mark of esteem. In Bella Coola not custom to lend a wife, only case
known to J — was on island where wife sent out.
Sometimes it happened that ♀ ♂ & ♀ lived together without pres.
Children looked down on. If a (girl) ♂, the children lost (girl) land.

If girl fell in love with slave she would go with him, & children were Mooshld down on. A mixture with slave is bar on family no matter how far back. ♂ & ♀ went to live either with H's or W's family according to wish. Sometimes a new house built at (Shin). In old days a man could have several wives, if he could afford it. Usually this would be a (big), poor man might have 2. If multiple wives all live in one house.

(J. remembers her)

One case known of 1 woman with 2 husbands. They were poor people & laughed at probably a bit daft. Joshua states they all boy down together & the ♀ the boss. Joshua knows of cases when connection with M & D, but never the marriage.

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① a big [tɣl] wound tatèxox

② ɔ tz'a manut ɔ nan = ~~dowry~~ given by w's family to provide ~~for~~ blankets for children. It is given at a. (hein), much later on

③ y ɛ t ai lai x = present made when agreement made to marry children.

④ No precedent for what to do at this shabby treatment.

A Bella Coola ♂ (1) married a Bella Bella ♀. They had a beautiful ♀ whom a (Tyi) at ~~without~~ near Bella Bella, desired for his ♂ son. This (Tyi) came to Bella Coola, & received 1st present from family of woman, a big present in which all Bella Coola relatives helped. ♀ went home with ♂. 10 years passed during which time Bella Coolas became rich, & Bella Bellas ~~got some wealth~~ & HF decided to give huge (Potlatch), asked all coast tribes. Bella Bellas sent down several canoes with presents (3) delivered & returned. He counted them over, & found present was smaller than he expected. He had little wealth, had counted on (2) to provide necessary foods for whole coast, so became mad, & insulted Bella Coolas by not inviting them. Man in anger also sold Son to Chilcotin for presents, only time known. Only case known, ~~but food not known to potlatch~~ & Bella Coolas very surprised. (4) At Kitlope there are many wild crabs, which are preserved in Eulachon Grease. Chilcotin had been coming to Kitlope for years & had been given a batch of trees. This girl had been with him for a time & in fall he went to Kitlope taking her & bunch of people with her. Tribes can be told by physique, & a Kitlope recognised her as Bella Coola, & asked her where was they home. She told him how she had been sold, a sort of dis-

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(1) suvali ous

(2) her father a rich man & would give them rich reward, not that they would get (to kwola).

Always trouble between Bella Bella & Rivers Inlet. The latter eat
the Sockeye salmon without grease & Gold currant. Bella
Bellas eat raw mussels. The BB invite R Is to a feast, &
during it a BB came in masked: I asked where do you come
from, Fort Rupert; "Is" Bella Bella, he & pointed South.
asked if from R I, "Yes" "What do you eat" We drew
out a piece of dirty Salmon & dry berries, an insult. R Is late
invited BB to a feast, they too had a masked dancer, who
was asked & finally drew out mussels & a crow. Every year a feast
with increasing insults, people getting madder & madder. Once
R Is asked BBs to feast, a BB (Tyee) was dying of consumption &
masked dancer came in coughing, asked out in & finally drew
the sick man, who was not there. So angry they beat it home
to BB. but & decided to leave women at home, & go down to RI,
invite them to [them] at BB; they will naturally camp at Slaughter
Cove or Schooner Pass for 1st day, we will ambush them. BBs
had them, sending on one canoe to invite R Is. A R I man sus-
pected trouble from manner of messengers, but they laughed at his
as presumptuous & set out in canoes. Near dusk they went

to beach, all but suspicious man. BB canoes hidden. Bs soon a busy camping, BBs clashed out & slew them, & few only escaping. The suspicious man, called out, "You are dogs to break our laws & inviting people to (him) & kill them." 3 canoes overlook & killed him. Last fight c 50 years ago

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(1) • ⊙ Ix hut x J m° laix
ane sai q ai utzlaix
Thus is a 3rd above.

These are 2 names for (sisuitl) above. On earth we call it (sisuitl). (ulati) made (sisuitl), from his own amazing power. (alkuntam) gave power to (ulati). (ulati) could make ~~wooden~~ trockets of everything & they became alive. In his house everything was wonderfully carved, boxes, dishes everything. Not long ago that Yes house fell down. The ~~bow~~ trees were made by (ulati), & young Charlie Moody has a story of that construction, a (sisuuk) business. Bella Bella know a great deal of about rowing, all canoes rowed to glory. Bella Bella did not know how. They brand carpenters till Joshua taught them.